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In re Application of:

Applicant: Jerry Shifman

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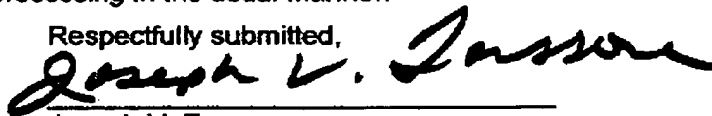
In the Examiner's Amendment attached to the Notice of Allowability (at Page 2), dated May 16, 2005, and the Examiner Comment Re: Declaration, the Applicant's attorney was advised that the parent application, S.N. 10/071,634, was incorrectly recited as "09/071,634" in the declaration and the Examiner indicated Applicant should submit a supplemental declaration to correct the citation.

However, the earlier Communication from the Examiner dated April 29, 2005 acknowledged that a revised declaration had been submitted on 17 September 2004 which corrected the citation of the parent application's serial number (i.e., to "10/071,634"), but it incorrectly recited its status as "pending".

Although the Examiner's Amendment made the appropriate amendments in the Specification ("Cross-Reference to Related Applications") to both the parent application serial number and its status, Applicant attaches a supplemental Declaration to this communication showing the correct citation of the parent application serial number and correction of the status from "pending" to "abandoned" in support of the Examiner's Amendment.

All other amendments and comments contained in the Examiner's Amendment and Comments on Reasons for Allowance are accepted by the Applicant. The Issue Fee Transmittal form, PTOL-85 is also attached for processing in the usual manner.

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